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REPORT ON THE
FILING OR DETERMINATION OF AN
ACTION REGARDING A PATENT OR
TRADEMARK

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In Compliance with 35 § 290 and/or 15 U.S.C. § 1116 you are hereby advised that a court action has been
filed in the U.S. District Court Mpls., Mn on the following ☒ Patents or ☐ Trademarks:

DOCKET NO. <u>4-96 civil 982</u>	DATE FILED <u>10/7/96</u>	U.S. DISTRICT COURT <u>Mpls., MN</u>
PLAINTIFF <u>CNS, Inc.</u>		DEFENDANT <u>Breathe Better, Inc.</u>
PATENT OR TRADEMARK NO.	DATE OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK	HOLDER OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK
<u>1</u> <u>5,533,499</u>	<u>7/9/96</u>	<u>the "499 patent" entitled "Nasal Dilator"</u>
<u>2</u>		<u>was issued to Bruce C. Johnson</u>
<u>3</u> <u>5,533,503</u>	<u>7/9/96</u>	<u>the "503 patent" entitled "Nasal Dilator"</u>
<u>4</u>		<u>was issued to inventors William J. Drobek,</u>
<u>5</u>		<u>Daniel E. Cohen, and Bruce C. Johnson with</u>

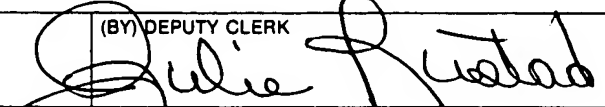
CNS as the licensee

In the above-entitled case, the following patent(s) have been included:

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In the above-entitled case, the following decision has been rendered or judgment issued:

DECISION/JUDGMENT

CLERK <u>Francis E. Dosai</u>	(BY) DEPUTY CLERK 	DATE <u>10/7/96</u>
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